Dean Hinshaw achieves Academy of Nursing 'Legend' status

USU Graduate School of Nursing Dean Ada Sue Hinshaw, RN, Ph.D., has been selected as a "Living Legend" by the American Academy of Nursing (AAN). Dr. Hinshaw will be formally inducted on October 15, 2011 at the AAN's 38th Annual Meeting and Conference in Washington, DC.

Annually since 1994, the AAN has named "Living Legends," recognizing extraordinary lifetime achievement. A "Living Legend" must have been an Active or Emeritus Fellow for at least 15 years, making extraordinary and sustained contributions to nursing and health care throughout their career. They also must continue to influence the profession.

Dr. Hinshaw has been a leader in the Academy since her initial induction as an AAN Fellow in 1978. She was elected to serve as AAN President in 2001.